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HAVING A RESONATOR ELEMENT)	
ARRANGED IN AN HERMETICALLY)	
CLOSED HOUSING AND METHOD)	
FOR MANUFACTURING SUCH AN)	
ELECTRONIC HOUSING)	

REVISED PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT (A)

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Sir:

In response to the Non-Compliant Amendment dated October 31, 2008 and prior to calculating the filing fee, and preliminary to examination on the merits, please amend the application identified above as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin in page 7 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.